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Questions 1–40: Select the one best answer to each question.

1. Your client's room is 12 ft × 18 ft. You'll be ordering wall-to-wall carpeting for the room. It costs $15.00 per square yard. How much will the carpet cost?

   A. $60.00
   B. $80.00
   C. $216.00
   D. $360.00

2. Your client loves patterns and insists on using a patterned fabric on her sofa and another pattern of wallpaper. Which of these would be the *best* way to handle these patterns?

   A. Place the sofa against the wall to blend it with the wall pattern.
   B. Use a patterned floor covering which will combine the colors of the wallpaper and sofa patterns.
   C. Paint the woodwork the dominant color of the sofa pattern to tie it into the room.
   D. Place the sofa in a position where it will be separated from the wall by an expanse of solid color.

3. When planning for a room-size rug, how much floor border should you allow?

   A. About 8 to 12 in. for an average room, more in a larger room
   B. About 24 in. for an average room, more for a larger room
   C. No bare border should show.
   D. Allow for a border in a small room, no border in a large room.

4. An American bolt of wallcovering contains

   A. 2 or 3 single rolls.
   B. 1 to $1^{1}/_{2}$ single rolls.
   C. 36 sq ft.
   D. 30 sq ft.

5. Which of these floor color treatments would tend to make a room look warmer and cozier?

   A. Floor color matching the ceiling
   B. Floor color the same color as the walls
   C. Floor color a deeper shade than the walls
   D. Floor covering in any pale color

6. How many square feet of wall area would you normally expect to be covered from one single roll of wallpaper?

   A. 10
   B. 26
   C. 30
   D. 36

7. If the sound level of a room is considered too live, which of these materials would be *best* to apply to its bare walls?

   A. Wood paneling
   B. Tile
   C. Textured paint
   D. Upholstery material

8. Clay tiles and stones are frequently used as flooring in entrances because of their

   A. resistance to wear, moisture, and dirt.
   B. many attractive colors and patterns.
   C. warm and resilient surfaces.
   D. limited use in other areas of a home.

9. In planning a total room decor, which of these would be the *most important* consideration in selecting the floor treatment in terms of creating the best decorative effect?

   A. Consistency of style, mood, and texture
   B. Price range
   C. Quality of material
   D. Color and pattern

10. You want to lighten a rather dark room that's now painted deep rose. Which of these colors, all of which your client likes, would lighten the room *most?*

   A. Salmon
   B. Pale apple-green
   C. Pale blue
   D. Apricot-beige

11. In planning a room decor, which of these should be your guideline regarding the effect upon the eye? The decor is *best* if the eye

   A. is pulled upward.
   B. is pulled downward.
   C. focuses naturally on objects within ordinary viewing range.
   D. is drawn alternately from floor to ceiling for contrast.

12. Which one of the following wall treatments would tend to make a ceiling appear higher?

   A. Small floral design
   B. Large floral design
   C. Vertical stripes
   D. Horizontal stripes

13. Wall-to-wall carpet is generally fastened to the floor with

   A. binding.
   B. tacks.
   C. metal stripping.
   D. tackless stripping.

14. In a room decor, the *most commonly* planned function of the walls is to

   A. provide a flattering background for the room's furnishings.
   B. serve as a major focal point.
   C. provide color contrast to the floors.
   D. emphasize or alter the proportions of the room.

15. In what room should you avoid using wood floors?

   A. Living room
   B. Dining room
   C. Bathroom
   D. Bedroom

16. If you want to install a real stone or brick wall in an existing home, which one of these factors is *most important* to consider first?

A. Will the color be too dark for the room?
B. Will the texture deaden the room's sound level?
C. Can the floor sustain the weight of the wall addition?
D. Will the treatment add too much of a pattern element to the room?

17. The carpeting with which you plan to cover a floor sells for $7.95 per linear foot. The material is 12 ft wide. The room is 9 ft × 11 ft. How much will the floor covering cost?

A. $71.55
B. $95.40
C. $187.45
D. $787.05

18. A random match describes a wallpaper in which the

A. color tone varies from one dye lot to the next.
B. design moves horizontally.
C. design moves vertically.
D. pattern has a straight match.

19. If the existing floor covering is to remain when a room is redecorated, what is its role in the decorating plan?

A. It doesn't affect the other aspects of the decor.
B. The rest of the decorating plan should be based upon it.
C. It needs to become the major feature of the decor.
D. The new decor won't look complete until the floor covering is replaced.

20. Which of these terms describes the portion of the wall from the baseboard to the chair rail?

A. Stile
B. Dado
C. Rail
D. Cornice

21. Which one of the following floor treatments would be *best* to create the effect of more space in a small room?

A. Wall-to-wall carpet in medium blue
B. A room-size rug in a coarse texture
C. A room-size multicolored braided rug
D. An Oriental rug in blue and gold

22. A room measures 10 ft × 13 ft and has 8 ft ceilings. It has one normal-size window and one normal-size door. How many rolls of wallpaper would you need to paper this room?

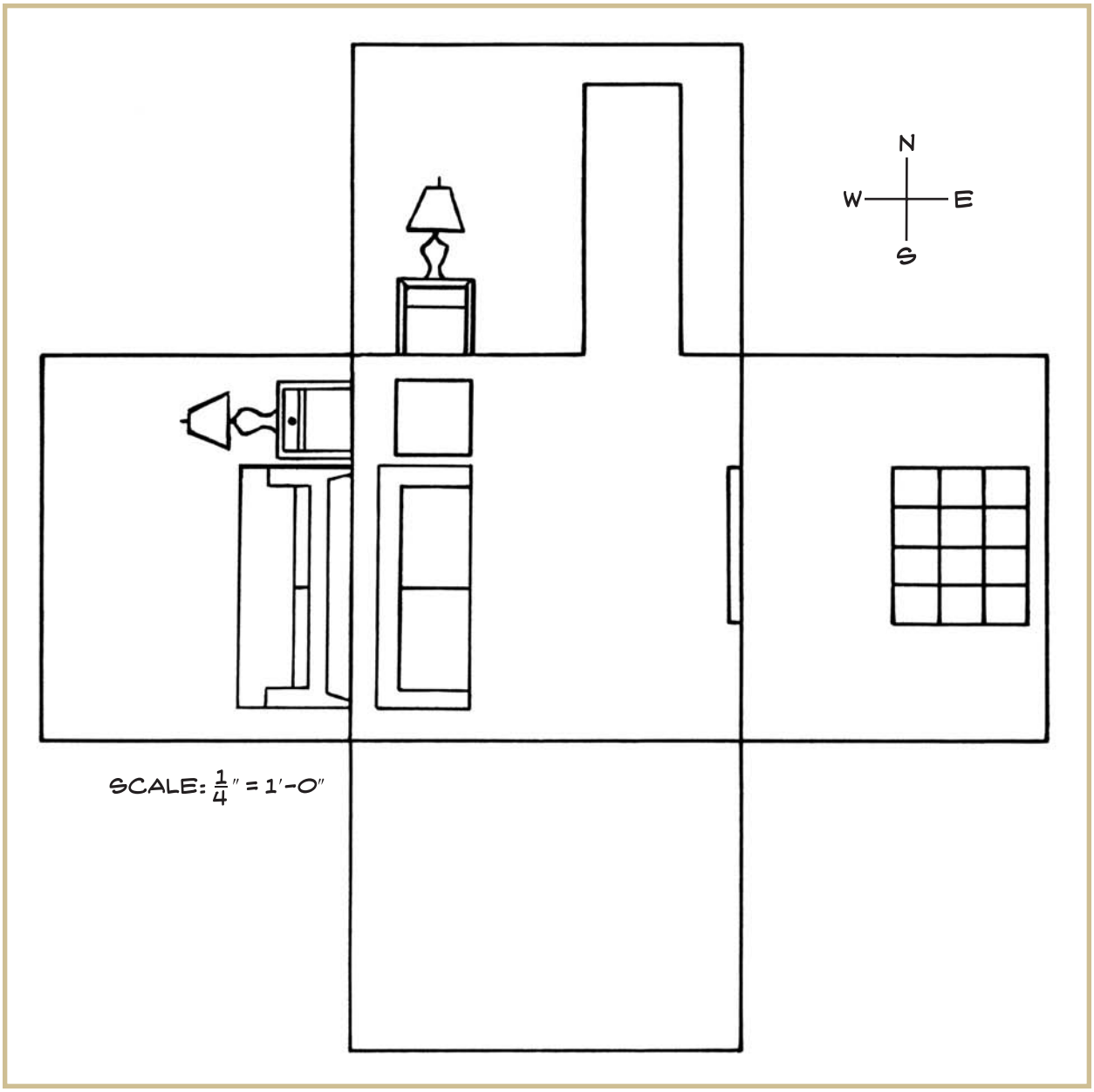
A. 8
B. 10
C. 12
D. 14

23. Which of these factors will determine whether an old worn floor may be sanded and refinished?

A. Thickness of the wood
B. Color of the wood
C. Hardness of the wood
D. Width of the floorboards

24. The door in the room in Examination Figure 1 is in the _____ wall.

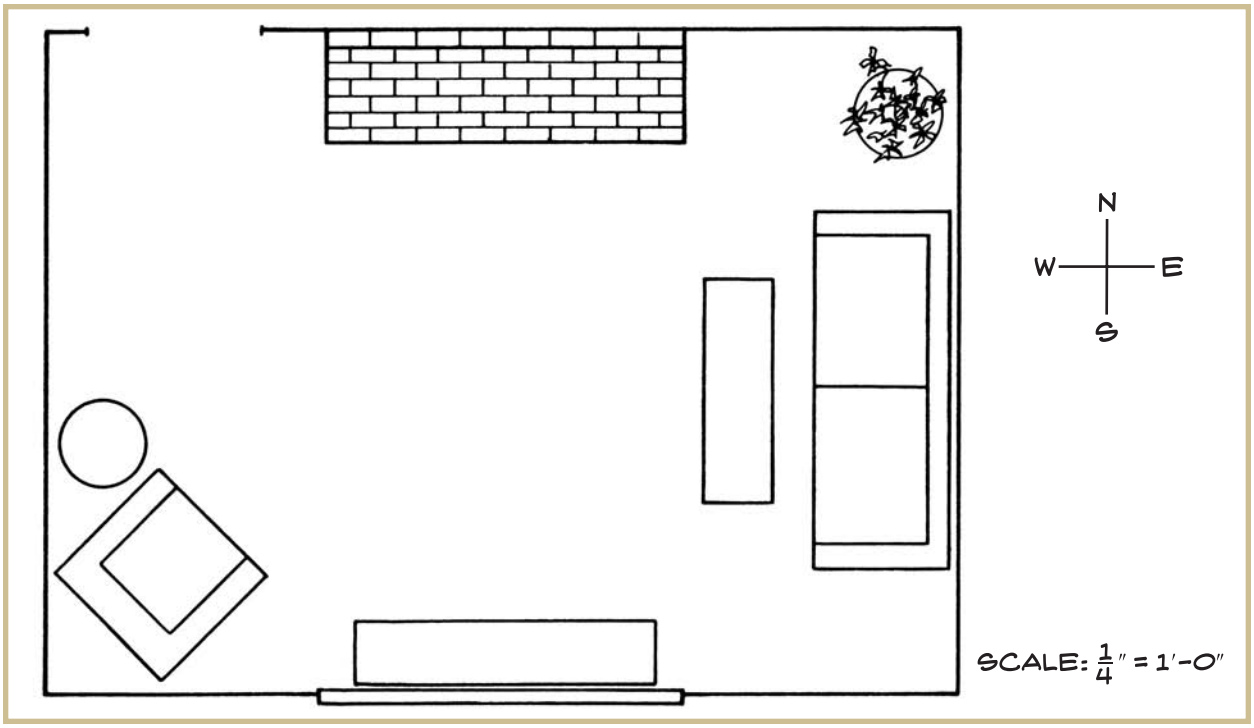
A. north
B. south
C. east
D. west



EXAMINATION FIGURE 1

25. Three of these are factors to consider about a floor covering sample when you're inspecting it. Which one of the following does *not* belong in this group?

A. Size
B. Shape
C. Relativity
D. Light



EXAMINATION FIGURE 2

26. You're making an elevation of the scaled floor plan shown in Examination Figure 2. Which of these drawings approximately resembles what the north wall elevation will look like?

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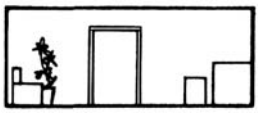

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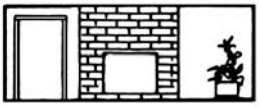

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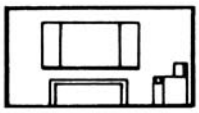

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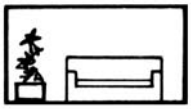

27. You're making an elevation of the scaled floor plan shown in Examination Figure 2. With regard to drawing an elevation of the south wall, which one of these can you *not* determine from the information in the floor plan?

A. The distance from the southwest corner to the right edge of the window
B. The total length of the west wall
C. The distance from the floor to the bottom of the window
D. The distance between the chair and the south wall

28. What is cork flooring made from?

A. Fiberglass
B. Tree bark
C. Mulch
D. Polyurethane

29. Which one of these floor treatments would give a room a light, floating quality?

A. Floor darker than walls
B. Floor lighter than walls
C. Highly polished dark wood
D. Unpolished dark wood

30. Why might it be a good idea to use a wallpaper pattern to develop a color scheme in a room?

A. The walls are the best place to start a decorating plan.
B. Wallpaper is designed by artists with a good sense of color.
C. The wallcoverings are usually the most expensive part of a decor.
D. The walls should be the focal center of any room.

31. What is the substance used to fill the spaces between tiles?

A. Plaster
B. Gypsum
C. Grout
D. Polyfiber

32. What type of wallpaper would be *most* suited for a low-moisture area?

A. Coated fabric
B. Vinyl coated
C. Paper-backed vinyl
D. Fabric-backed paper vinyl

33. What is the *most commonly* used padding under carpeting today?

A. Cork
B. Rebond
C. Cotton
D. Plastic

34. What type of paint would be *most appropriate* for window sills in a home?

A. Flat paint
B. Enamel
C. Wood sealer
D. Interior varnish

35. What is froth foam?

A. Industrial cleaning solution
B. Hardwood stain
C. Urethane padding
D. Tile caulking

36. How many rolls of wallpaper would you need to cover the ceiling in a room that's 12 ft × 22 ft?

A. 6
B. 7
C. 8
D. 9

37. In decorating an entire room from scratch, including the floor, the floor should

A. be eye-catching.
B. be inconspicuous and practical.
C. enhance the decor by complementing it.
D. provide a neutral-colored background for the room.

38. Which one of the following types of wallpaper would be *most suitable* for a bathroom?

A. Coated fabric
B. Vinyl coated
C. Paper-backed vinyl
D. Fabric-backed paper vinyl

39. You're looking at the labels on several different carpets. Which one of the following blends would have the necessary amount of each fiber to affect the overall quality of the blend?

A. 10% wool, 60% nylon, and 20% acrylic
B. 75% wool, 15% nylon, and 10% acrylic
C. 60% wool, 20% nylon, and 20% acrylic
D. 50% wool, 40% nylon, and 10% acrylic

40. For which one of the following applications would flat paint be appropriate?

A. Window sills
B. Dining room walls
C. Stair treads
D. Bathroom walls